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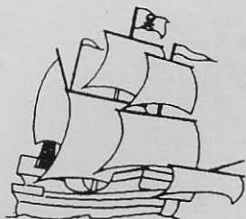
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DiaLogs

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Welcome to the October DiaLogs! First off, A big round of applause for Steve Rogovich for his two years service to the club as the DiaLogs Editor. Thanks for all the great work you have done and don't stay a stranger!

The Labor Day weekend holiday was very busy with at least 27 different stations logged! 7465-7470 seems to be active now, 7405-7415 is making a comeback and 7375-7380 range has been busy. East Coast Beer Drinker & KICK were heard in Germany! A couple of "Old Timers" like Radio Clandestine & Radio Morania were heard. Let's dive right in and get the show on the road...

NORTH AMERICA - MW & FM

KSSV - SEP 7 - 2345-0241 - 1620.0 KHz - AM - *QSL Info Unknown*

Rock & Pop music, Dylan, Sting, Eagles, etc. (Eric Suter, VA 333 who adds, after 7 days of monitoring, I finally ID'd this station. Also on SEP 2-7 various times 0000-0800 as *UNID* & SEP 9 0136-0304 333)

WROK - AUG 23 - 0029-0132* - 91.9 MHz - FM - *QSL Info Unknown*

IDs as "Long Island's Rock" & "WROK, New York". Listener greetings, Classic Rock Music "Walk on the Wild Side", "Hello, It's Me", "Maggie May" and others (Mike Pollock, NY 454 (Think you could make me a tape, please? ED))

NORTH AMERICA - SHORTWAVE

6YVOS, Vo Smoke - AUG 20 - 0259-0310* - 7469.9 KHz - USB - *QSL via Wellsville*

Pippen Marley & Nesta w/ Reggae, Fleetwood Mac, Streisand & Beatles music, Mailbag. (Ed Rausch, NJ 222)(Eric Suter, VA 311)

SEP 4 - *0331-0410* - 3400.0 KHz - USB -

Repeat of AUG 20 0230 bcst. (Rob Keeney, KS 242) (J.D. Stephens, AL 343)(Michael Folk, KY S4/222)

ALTERED STATES RADIO - - SEP 5 - *0350-0408* - 7469.5 KHz - AM - *QSL via Merlin*

Outer Limits IS, William Hurt w/ Rock music incl. Music: "High Road Easy" by Melissa Etheridge, "Train to Bangkok" by RUSH & Weird Al, Creamed by WSHB-7465/TUNISIA-7475 Sandwich @ 0358. (ED Fair, Exc mod)(Rob Keeney, KS 212 TNX JD 4 PTip!)(J.D. Stephens, AL 424 good audio)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 343)

ALTERNATE ELVIS - SEP 17 - 2155-2208* - 7375.0 KHz - AM - *QSL via Wellsville*

Elvis Costello tunes, deep voiced OM ancr. (ED 353 good mod)

ANTI-VOICE - SEP 5 - 2332-2352* - 7470.0 KHz - AM & LSB - *QSL Info Unknown*

Bcst started in AM. Instrumental music, Ancmnts by OM w/ heavy reverb, into a bizarre mix of SND EFX, Radio Dial being tuned & Voice clips. Switched to LSB @ 2338. ID repeated several tx @ end of show "Anti Voice is Calling". (ED, Good sig, Exc mod, deep fades, S9+, PSE QSL)(George Zeller, OH 343/232 as *UNID*)

SEP 5 - 2256-2257* - 7435.0 KHz - LSB

Heard a brief bit of the above program here (ED S9+)

BIG BROTHER RADIO - SEP 12 - *0315-0345* - 7470.0 KHz - USB - *QSL via Wellsville*

BLACK LIBERATION RADIO Relay - SEP 12 - 0057-0111 - 7415.0 KHz - LSB
via Solid Rock Radio, OM anncr w/ interview of YL talking abt Randy Rueger case,
gun control, drug laws, phone taps, waco, etc. Anncmt by Dr. Love @ 0111 said that
SRR will NO longer QSL these relays, instead write to: 333 North 12th Street,
Springfield, IL 62702 [A SASE would probably be a good idea]. (ED 333)(Joe
Filipkowski, RI 444/242 as UNID)

SEP 12 - 0145-0205 - 7415.0 KHz - LSB
Repeat of SEP 12 0057-0111 program?

BOB MARLEY RADIO - SEP 11 - *1949-2012* - 7405.0 KHz - USB - QSL Info
Unknown
OM anncr w/ (You guessed it) Bob Marley tunes. (Scott Gentry, IL 222 PSE QSL)

CANADIAN CLUB RADIO - AUG 23 - 0113-0147 - 7415v KHz - AM - QSL Info Unknown
OM testing w/ music, said from Ontario & not active for 10 years. (Joe Filipkowski,
RI 433 weak audio on music, voice fine. PSE QSL)

CSIC - SEP 17 - *2300-2347* - 7413.0 KHz - AM - QSL via Blue Ridge Summit &
Merlin

Pirate Rambo w/ 4th Anniversary Special, Alternative rock, Fruit of the Loom
Newsbriefs, Ira ID, female condoms, 9901 KHz also anncr, plug for CSIC T-Shirts,
Penis lengthening, parody adds, weather, increasing price of photocopies, S/Off w/
trademark Psycho Chicken tune. (ED 353)(Hoffman, GERMANY 242)

EAST COAST BEER DRINKER - SEP 5 - 0235-0245* - 7414.9 KHz - USB - QSL via
BRS

Music "Ball Room Blitz" by Tia Carrera, David Letterman clips, Beer Drinkin' &
IDn', Icom rcvr. (Rob Keeney, KS 534)(Rainer Brandt, GERMANY 242 PSE QSL)(J.D.
Stephens, AL 555 cleanest audio I've yet heard from them)(Vince Havrilko, GERMANY
242/343)

SEP 5 - *0245-0255* - 7464.8 KHz - USB

Music, talk about Labor Day weekend. (Rob Keeney, KS 544 Big Signal!)(Rainer
Brandt, GERMANY 242)(J.D. Stephens, AL 555)(Vince Havrilko, GERMANY 332/343 as
UNID [You caught the end Vince, ED])

HE MAN RADIO - AUG 28 - *0050-0122* - 7465.0 KHz - USB - QSL via BRS

He Man w/ music by Stealers Wheel & Tommy James, comments abt Pirate Pages,
mailbag, plug for use of USB. (Chris Lobdell, MA 332)(George Zeller, OH 222 as
UNID)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 544 best signal ever!)

HIGH TIMES RADIO - AUG 28 - *0200-0220 - 7465.0 KHz - USB/AM - QSL via
Faribault

Capt. Ganja & Samantha Jones, music "Too much to dream". (Jerry Coatsworth,
ONT)

SEP 5 - *0216-0252* - 7470.0 KHz - USB

Capt. Ganja & Samantha Jones w/ Drug Theme music including "With a little help
from my friends" by Joe Cocker, spacey snd efx's, plugs for High Times mag, "I'm
getting high on High Times Radio, are you?" (Rob Keeney, KS 353)(Chris Lobdell,
MA 322 w/ Audio Probs)(Bud Stacey, AL 232)(J.D. Stephens, AL 343 w/ distorted
audio) (Ed Rausch, NJ 444 PSE QSL)(Eric Suter, VA 333)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 433
distorted audio)

SEP 13 - 0102-0140 - 7375.0 KHz - USB

Repeat of SEP 0218-0252 bcst. (Joe Yadsco, PA 121 as UNID, PSE QSL)

HIP HOP RADIO - SEP 5 - 0020-0058* - 7415.0 KHz - LSB - QSL Info Unknown

Rap music, IDs, live TCs. (Rob Keeney, KS 443 w/ WEWN QRM. PSE QSL)(Chris
Lobdell, MA 222) (J.D. Stephens, AL 232 PSE QSL)(Don Snider, MD 454 PSE
QSL)(Alan Masyga, MN 111) (Eric Suter, VA ??? PSE QSL)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 455
PSE QSL)

SEP 5 - 1800-1827* - 7415.0 KHz - LSB

Rap music, IDs, live TCs (Chris Lobdell, MA)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 343 PSE QSL)

SEP 17 - 0145-0210+ - 7419.0 KHz - LSB

SEP 18 - 0035-0043* - 7419.0 KHz - LSB

Soul & Rap Music (ED 433 as UNID)

INT Vo NARROW BAND FM - SEP 11 - *1557-1602* - 7401.0 KHz - FM - QSL Info
Unknown
OM ancr w/ bizzare ramblings abt benefits of NBFM. (Scott Gentry, IL 444 PSE QSL)

K2000 - AUG 21 - 0804-0823* - 7375.0 KHz - USB - QSL via Stoneham
Highlights from current show: Andy Yoder, Radio Clandestine, Bob Rock & parodies (Bud Stacey, AL 333)

SEP 5 - 0409-0417* - 7415.0 KHz - USB

A pre-show "teaser" (ED, 353)(Rob Keeney, KS 322)(J.D. Stephens, AL 222)

SEP 6 - 0017-0055* - 7472.0 KHz - USB

Several pre-show "teasers" from 0002-0013 on 7470, 7472.5 & 7471 KHz. Bob Rock hosting the most action packed show on shortwave, Unsolved Pirates hosted by Bob Grope featuring Andy Yoder. Spoof Adds, Top Ten list of K2000 Rejections, Radio Azteca, K2000 Orchestra w/ John Barnyard. Rappin' Chipmunks with Glen Hauser parody. Late Show w/ David Letterman spoof, ID "K2000, The Loose Cannnon", Jamaican Guy @ S/Off. Station requires program comments 4 QSL. (ED, 555 Exc Show!)(Rob Keeney, KS 555 Very Funny)(William Hassig, IL 222)(Chris Lobdell, MA 444)(George Zeller, OH 343+ Amusing & Exceptionally well produced)(Eric Suter, VA 333)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 545 great show guys!)

KDED - AUG 28 - *2259-2315 - 7465.0 KHz - LSB - QSL via Wellsville
S/On B4 Israel S/Off. Music by The Grateful Dead. Wiped out by Kenya in FAX @ 2313 (Rob Keeney, KS 412)(John Arthur, NY 111 Tent)

AUG 28 - 2330-2345 - 7525.0 KHz - LSB

Audible under RTTY station. USB would have been a better choice or even better, a clear frequency. (Rob Keeney, KS 311)

AUG 30 - *0157-0217* - 13900.0 KHz - USB

Test Tone followed by 2 Dead tunes, "Roll Away" & "Franklin's Tower" (Rob Keeney, KS 454 Slight Fading, No Noise, This test was a success!)(Bud Stacey, AL 243) (George Zeller, OH 252 TENT)

SEP 3 - *2348-0003 - 7415.0 KHz - LSB

OM Annrc, "There's nothing for your head like the good ole Grateful Dead" & GD Tunes (David Ditlow, CA 454 as UNID. PSE QSL. David also adds this is the first pirate he's heard in months!)

SEP 5 - 0050-0110* - 7470.0 KHz - LSB

Songs "Shakedown Street" & "I Need a Miracle", Slogan "All Grateful Dead All The Time" (Rob Keeney, KS 555!)(J.D. Stephens, AL 555!)(Don Snider, MD 232 as UNID, PSE QSL)(Eric Suter, VA 333 as UNID)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 242 first time heard! PSE QSL)

SEP 6 - 0313-0333* - 7445.0 KHz - USB

OM annrc w/ Grateful Dead tunes. (George Zeller, OH 242/343)(ED 555+ as UNID)

KICK - SEP 5 - *0254-0316* - 7470.0 KHz - USB - QSL via Huntsville

Pete Moss w/ Hardcopy Spoof, The Summer Blowout Show, Rock by Danzig & Van Halen, Beavis & Butthead clips, funny adds. Appreciates program comments. (ED 454)(Rob Keeney, KS 454)(Rainer Brandt, GERMANY 221 as UNID)(Chris Lobdell, MA 131)(J.D. Stephens, AL 343)(Jerry Coatsworth, ONTARIO 222)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 131 as UNID, PSE QSL)

KTVI - SEP 17 - *2239-2325* - 7412.0 KHz - USB - QSL via Faribault

Emmanuel Goldstein w/ "Sick of the 60's", 60s tunes, Jingles, Haiti remarks, QRMD by CSIC @ 2300. (ED 555+)

MICRODOT RADIO - SEP 4 - *2300-2325* - 7541.2 KHz - AM - QSL via Faribault

Michael Radot w/ Pro Drug programming, comedy adds, Weird Al (Rob Keeney, KS 343 Muffled Audio)(J.D. Stephens, AL 333 Muffled Audio)(Eric Suter, VA 422)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 444 good pgm!)

SEP 10 - 2310-2331* - 7377.0 KHz - USB

America's answer 2 runaway Maharishi, comedy adds. (Jerry Coatsworth, ONT 423)

SEP 11 - *1850-1914* - 7405.0 KHz - USB

Repeat of SEP 4 2300 bcst? (Scott Gentry, IL 322/444 Great show dude!)

MIDNIGHT RADIO - SEP 11 - *0054-0127* - 7378.0 KHz - LSB - QSL via BRS

Clock Gong IS, Hosts Slam & Zwol, Funny Adds, Jingles, Famous Duos ID, condom usage awareness, using scanners to listen to cordless phones, spoof add for plastic surgery to turn blacks into whites, phone calls on the Midnight line. (ED 555+)(John Cruzan, MO 555)(George Zeller, OH 343/242)(Don Snider, MD 444)(Jerry Coatsworth, ONTARIO 333 as UNID, PSE QSL)(Animal, PA 443)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 222)

PAN GLOBAL WIRELESS - AUG 22 - *0001-0024* - 7377.1 KHz - USB - QSL via Wellsville

Mike Oxlong w/ the "Sloppy Sex Show" sponsored by Mike's Famous Douche, Sex related sketches, Rock Music, Humpback Whale Fart sketch. (George Zeller, OH 343+)(Ed Rausch, NJ 444 funny program)(Eric Suter, VA 333)(Animal, PA 232)

SEP 3 - 0100-0120 - 7380.0 KHz - USB

Repeat of the AUG 22 0000 Bcst. (J.D. Stephens, AL 222)(Eric Suter, VA 333)

PIRATE RADIO FLASHBACK - SEP 11 - *1800-1850* - 7405.0 KHz - USB - QSL Info Unk

"Pirate & Clanny Rpt" from Signals 1992 & 1st bcst of Radio Newyork Int. (Scott Gentry, IL 545 PSE QSL)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 141 as UNID, PSE QSL)

SEP 12 - *0245-0254* - 7410.0 KHz - LSB

SEP 12 - *0255-0305* - 7415.0 KHz - LSB

RADIO 13 INT. - AUG 21 - *0225-0250* - 7388.0 KHz - USB - QSL via PSE QSL

Col. Hogan in English & German w/ QSL policy & music. (Rob Keeney, KS 523 lost battle w/ RFPI PSE QSL)(Bud Stacey, AL 232 PSE QSL)(Yolanda Lewis, IL 333 PSE QSL) (Ed Rausch, NJ 555 PSE QSL)(Eric Suter, VA won the battle w/ RFPI, PSE QSL)

AUG 21 - 1504-1551* - 7385.0 KHz - USB

Col. Hogan w/ Rap & Natalie Cole music, greetings to Dr. Love of SRR, ancd 100 watts, ACE plug. (Joe Yadsko, PA 333 PSE QSL)(Ed Rausch, NJ 444 PSE QSL)(Eric Suter, VA 333, PSE QSL)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 243/343 PSE QSL)

SEP 4 - 0121-0148+ - 7380.0 KHz - USB

IDs, Music, ACE plug, asked for logs in the ACE (Paul Grote, MO 333 PSE QSL)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 322 PSE QSL)

SEP 4 - *0237-0318* - 7470.0 KHz - USB

S/On ancmnts over music, QSL policy. A 1/2 Hr. episode of "The Shadow". IDs & Freq. Gave Steve Rogovich's addr 4 sending logs to several times. Some German & Spanish ancmnts, Jazz Music @ S/Off. (ED, 353 TNX QSL!)(Rob Keeney, KS 342 PSE QSL)(Eric Suter, VA 322 PSE QSL)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 444 PSE QSL)

SEP 4 - 1219-1306* - 7385.0 KHz - USB

Jazz/R&B music, ACE plug, greetings to Yoder, Zeller & JTA, live TCs. (Joe Filipkowski, RI 444 PSE QSL)

RADIO 7415(tent. ID??) - SEP 6 - *0330-0406* - 7415.0 KHz - LSB - QSL Info Unknown

OM & YL (Or very young child) w/ Eddy Grant, Rush, Miami Vice Theme, Rumba & reggae music. Anncmnts hrd "Message for Dr. Love" "This is _____ Radio on 7415" (Rob Keeney, KS 433, ID could've been "Hip Hop Live" PSE QSL)(ED 343 as UNID w/ QSB. PSE QSL)

RADIO AZTECA - AUG 27 - 2305-2332 - 7413.5 KHz - AM - QSL via Wellsville

Bram Stoker w/ usual DX spoof, Rocky & Bullwinkle music. (George Zeller, OH 232 w/ RTTY QRM)(William Hassig, IL 111 as UNID)(Jerry Coatsworth, ONTARIO 333 Bram's imagination working overtime)(Eric Suter, VA 222)

RADIO CLANDESTINE - SEP 3 - 0139-0215* - 7395.0 KHz - AM - QSL Info Unknown

R.F. Burns w/ variety of music, Funny Adds & Sketches, Bcating from a ship. (Andrew Ashbaugh, IL 454 PSE QSL[I would be interested in hearing your tape, ED])(James Hugunin, IL 533 PSE QSL)(Janice Laws, QUEBEC 434 PSE QSL)

RADIO DOCTOR TIM relay - SEP 3 - 0420-0440 - 7470.0 KHz - USB - QSL via Wuppertal

OM ancr talk over music, talk abt German Pirates, T-Shirt offer. (Rob Keeney, KS 444)

SEP 3 - *2245-2333* - 7412.8 KHz - LSB

Repeat of SEP 3 0400 Bcst (Rob Keeney, KS 343)(Alan Masysa, MN 111)(Jerry Coatsworth, ONTARIO 433)(Eric Suter, VA ???)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 131)

RADIO DOOMSDAY - SEP 4 - *0151-0236* - 7470.0v KHz - USB - Does not QSL

Show #9. Interval Signal 3 times, Music by Machines of Loving Grace, Nirvana, Nemesis sings WPIG-style over classical music, a "WEEDish" mix of Ministry's NWO & Desert Storm clips. Dark Humor, Slogan "We've upped our standards, now up yours!", Nemesis committed suicide @ end of the show. (ED, 353 Guess they're "Dead and Gone" again!)(Rob Keeney, KS 242 Dr. Kavorkian Xmtr Eng?)(Chris Lobdell, MA 333 A sad day in pirate history)(J.D. Stephens, AL 555 non-QSL taunts)(George Zeller, OH 242+)(Eric Suter, VA 322)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 444 RIP Nemesis)

SEP 5 - 0445-0519* - 7379.0 KHz - USB

Repeat of show #9. (ED 253)

RADIO ESOTERICA - AUG 28 - 2316-2343* - 7468.2 KHz - AM - QSL via Stoneham

Part 2 of Electric Sugarcube Flashback, Obscure Rock, Hosted by Moriarty, Relayed via WREC (Rob Keeney, KS 343 w/ improving signals)(ED, Weak w/ Gud Mod!)

RADIO EXP - SEP 6 - 0030-0106* - 7414.4 KHz - AM - QSL via Wellsville

taking phone calls @ 0030. (ED 151 as Open Carrier/UNID)(Don Snider, MD 222 as UNID)(Tim Flannery via SW ECHO)

RADIO FREE EUPHORIA - SEP 3 - 2118-2125* - 7425.0 KHz - AM? - QSL via Wellsville

Laughter, tlk abt pot, emergency test by pissing on your radio, pirate op recruiting add. (Janice Laws, QUEBEC 534 overmod)

SEP 12 - *0010-0051* - 7375.0 KHz - USB

Contemporary & Classic rock tunes including Steppenwolf's "The Pusher" & Steve Miller's "Space Cowboy", Capt. Ganja bcsing from the garden of herbal delights in the state of euphoria, "Inhalations", spoof adds, "Celebrity" IDs by Dr. Blue of Radio EXP & Phil Muzic of KNBS, break from 0041-0044, growing pot will help stop the greenhouse effect, the homegrown service, tech probs @ end. (ED 555+)(George Zeller, OH 444/343)(Eric Suter, VA 333)(Animal, PA 333)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 222) (Joe Yadsko, PA 222)

RADIO GARBANZO - SEP 11 - *2314-2355* - 7412.0 KHz - AM - QSL via Wellsville

Repeat of show #12, IS, Rock music, Fearless Fred & Harry P. Ness bcsing from the Ethel's Buns Truck, spoof adds, Green Acres Spoof w/ Buck McMoney, paid toll with nickle deposit beer bottles, narrow escape from the cops, box of doughnuts saved the day, cold 807's & 99 Miceys Big Mouth on the wall, IS 3x. QSO Capt Willy & Radio Animal after show. (ED 353 GREAT show!)(Animal, PA technically a high quality AM xmission)(Tim Flannery 444 via SW ECHO)

RADIO LOLLYPOP relay - SEP 12 - 0125-0145 - 7415.0 KHz - LSB - QSL via Wuppertal

RADIO MAGIC relay - AUG 28 - *0300-0330* - 5750.0 KHz - AM

Rock Music, SND EFXs, OM Ancr, QSL via PO Box 1461, Perm 614036, Russia. (George Zeller, OH 222 w/ QRM de #s stn on same freq!)(Jerry Coatsworth, ONTARIO 222 w/ QRM de #s stn)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 222 under #s stn)

RADIO MARABU relay - SEP 3 - *2334-0002* - 7413.8 KHz - AM - QSL via Merlin, Welsvl & Wuppertal Interview with Arthur Brown, Classic Rock music, Airplane Flyby SND EFX, Plenty of IDs and Drop Info. (ED, Fair w/ Good Modulation)(Rob Keeney, KS 353)(Janice Laws, QUEBEC 434)(Jerry Coatsworth, ONTARIO 333)(Eric Suter, VA 322)

RADIO MORANIA - AUG 21 - 0250-0259 - 5810.0 KHz - AM - QSL Info Unknown

Morania Ham Shack, CW by Radio, ID "Radio Morania External Service", Relayed by WWCN(!) apparently as a "Filler" 4 their ham radio program. (Rob Keeney, KS 454 TNX 2 John Cruzan 4 tip. PSE QSL)

RFM, Radio Free Mass. - SEP 3 - 0300-0327* - 7470.0 KHz - AM - QSL via Wellsville

H.V. Short w/ Techno pop & Dance music, IDs (J.D. Stephens, AL 353)

ROCK OF NORTH AMERICA - SEP 4 - *0027-0058* - 7375.5 KHz - AM - QSL via Wellsville

Old Western Fella with a Labor Day Wknd Bcst. Rock Music, Humorous Adds & many IDs. (ED, Wk w/ Gud Mod, Nice Show!)(William Hassig, IL 111)(Ed Rausch, NJ 444) (Joe Filipkowski, RI 422)

SOLID ROCK RADIO - SEP 6 - 0107-0109* - 7415.0 KHz - USB - QSL via Wellsville
Cheech & Chong phone skit, ID by Dr. Love & QRT (ED, 555)(Don Snider, MD as UNID, PSE QSL)

SEP 6 - 0212-0215* - 7415.0 KHz - LSB

Repeat of SEP 6 0107 test. (Eric Suter, VA 333)

SEP 6 - 0259-0325* - 7415.0 KHz - LSB

Special Test Xmission of a homebrew 500 watt amp. Soul & Rap music, asked for reports to AGB. "Celebrity" IDs, Spoof Adds, Selling shows via DVS (ED, 555+ Audio "Crisp")(Rob Keeney, KS 444 Clean Audio)(J.D. Stephens, AL 444)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 141 as UNID)

SEP 12 - 0057-0121* - 7415.0 KHz - LSB

Black Liberation Radio relay till 0111, Ancmnts by Dr. Love including a mention of his euro relay station Radio Lollypop, into pgm "Goldmine", closing ancmnts @ 0119 using 500w. (ED 333)

SEP 12 - 0205-0215 - 7415.0 KHz - LSB

Repeat of SEP 12 0057-0121 bcst?

SOUTHERN MUSIC RADIO relay - AUG 20 - *0201-0230* - 7470 KHz - USB - QSL via Wlsvl

via NAPRS, OM Ancr w/ IDs, Rock mx. (Bud Stacey, AL 222)(George Zeller, OH 242) (Michael Folk, KY S3/222)(Animal, PA 233)

AUG 21 - 2330-2357* - 7377.1 KHz - USB

Repeat of AUG 20 0200 Bcst? Sudden QRT (George Zeller, OH 343+)(Ed Rausch, NJ 333 and X-Ray Yankee Zulu relay)(Eric Suter, VA 333)

AUG 27 - 0256-0257* - 7470.0 KHz - USB

60's Rock, ID & QRT (Bud Stacey, AL 423)

SEP 4 - 0332-0346* - 7375.5 KHz - AM

OM Annrcr w/ IDs, NZ Rock music. (ED, 353 w/ Good Mod)

THE JOINT - SEP 11 - *1700-1730* - 7405.0 KHz - USB - QSL via Wellsville

Capt. Ganja & Phil Muzik bcsing from the woods, boiling vulture puke & waiting for beer. (Scott Gentry, IL 545)

SEP 12 - *0205-0240* - 7410.0 KHz - LSB

ID by Samantha Jones of KMOM, Music by Hendrix & Dylan (Eric Suter, VA 333)

UP AGAINST THE WALL RADIO - SEP 3 - 0150-0200 - 7375.0 KHz - USB - QSL via Wlsvl

Unid music, IDs (J.D. Stephens, AL 232)

SEP 4 - 0117-0139* - 7470.0 KHz - USB

Show #3 "The Drug Show" pgm of drug related classic rock tunes hosted by Owsley. Annncd pgm cmmnts required 4 QSL. Oohgah Horn @ S/Off. QSO w/ R. Doomsday & R. Airplane after show. (ED, 454 S9+)(Rob Keeney, KS 454)(Chris Lobdell, MA 333) (Jerry Coatsworth, ONTARIO 222 as UNID, PSE QSL)(Eric Suter, VA 322)

SEP 11 - 0100-0134* - 7469.0 USB

Owsley with "The Sex Show", rock music, warning. (ED 444/111) (John Cruzan, MO 353)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 333)

VOICE OF THE NIGHT - SEP 4 - 2346-2359 - 7444.8 KHz - AM - QSL Info Unknown

"Joey" by Concrete Blond, "Hello, I Love You" & "Light My Fire" by The Doors, IDs, no drop and. (Joe Filipkowski, RI 322 who adds "... not sure if this was actually lad or an old tape...")

WGAD - AUG 28 - 0037-0052* - 7416.0 KHz - LSB - QSL Info Unknown

Rap music. (Eric Suter, VA 322, PSE QSL)

WGAY - SEP 3 - 0107-0118* - 7414.9 KHz - USB - QSL Info Unknown

Music by Dolly Parton & Supremes, ID as "WGAY on 87.9 FM, 41 Meters and look for us Saturday on 13900 and between 21450-21650". (Ed Rausch, NJ 444 PSE QSL)

WISL - SEP 5 - 2334-0000* - 7415.0 KHz - AM - QSL via Huntsville

Whistle Stop Radio. AJ Michaels with train theme pgming, Promo 4 Mt. Washington Cog Railway, songs abt Casey Jones (Chris Lobdell, MA 222 Lost to het & QRM)(ED, 111 as UNID)(Eric Suter, VA 422)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 322)

WKIK - SEP 11 - 0157-0227 - 7415.0 KHz - AM - QSL Info Unknown
OM ment WKIK QSLs & Jacksonville, FL, music by Janet Jackson. (Jerry Coatsworth, ONTARIO 222 as UNID, PSE QSL)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 433 PSE QSL)

WKND - SEP 6 - 0016-0059* - 7465.0 KHz - AM - QSL via Blue Ridge Summit
We're Kanine Dog. Animal w/ music by Arrested Development. Spoof Adds. Lengthy ancmnts. Severe QRM & HET from Kenya FAX stn on this freq. This was 10 Watts! (ED, 121 Gud Mod! TNX QSL!)

WLIS - AUG 28 - 1341-1400* - 7413.5 KHz - AM - QSL via Blue Ridge Summit
We Love Interval Signals. Flute Chorus IS, Jack Boggins w/ ISs & Rock Music. (George Zeller, OH 232/343)

WVQL - AUG 28 - 1850-1855 - 7376.6 KHz - LSB - QSL via Wellsville
Voice of the Loon. Captain Willy w/ test xmission, wanted sig rpts. (Scott Gentry, on Xpedition at Elgin, IL 333)(Yolanda Lewis, IL 333)

WRFW - SEP 10/11 - 2338-0028* - 7378.0 KHz - LSB - QSL via BRS & Faribault
Radio Free Wisconsin. Dick Bender w/ a Nemesis tribute show. Rock music, Sci Fi Radio program (ED 555+) (John Cruzan, MO 555)(Tim Flannery 243 via SW ECHO)(George Zeller, OH 333 who adds "...my first log of this station after all these years." [I think you're confusing this stn w/ the OTHER WRFW, Radio Free Wiggie, this stn just started this year - ED])(Jerry Coatsworth, ONTARIO 333 good program)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 222)

SEP 11 - *2148-2231* - 7376.0 KHz - USB
Dick Bender & Ben Dover, Rock & Metal music, Anti-FCC comments, listener letters, funny news abt politicians, parody adds (ED 454)(Joe Yadsco, PA 222)

X-RAY YANKEE ZULU - AUG 21 - *2358-0000* - 7378.0 KHz - RTTY - QSL via PSE QSL

50 Baud/450 Hertz shift, discussion of Shortwave Liberation, criticism of JTA's naysaying, long list of Dxers who have logged them in the ACE, ancd up coming Pan Global Wireless xmsm. (George Zeller, OH 343+)

DISTANT LANDS - SHORTWAVE

DUBLIN COMMUNITY RADIO, IRELAND - AUG 30 - 0445-0505 - 6910.6 KHz - AM
[HELP!, European sources are reporting the name as this but I'm getting logs w/ the Radio Dublin ID. What gives? ED] Tentative with only bits of music from beneath the noise, not enough 4 a taped rpt. QSL via 58 Inchicore Road, Dublin 8, Ireland. [300 watts I think, ED] (Rob Keeney, KS 121 & SEP 5 0515-0558 111 w/ Music)(George Zeller, OH 222 Irish Folk music & OM ancr AUG 28 0005-0020+) (Yolanda Lewis, IL 111 Pop & Rock music, OM ancr @ top of hour AUG 27 0029) (Vince Havrilko, GERMANY 333/332 OM ancr, Top 40 music, Local adds SEP 5 0736)(Ed Rausch, NJ 333 SEP 3 0450 OM ancr, Pop vocal music)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 322 AUG 28 2235-2243+)

KIWI RADIO, NEW ZEALAND - AUG 13 - 0608 - 7445.0 KHz - USB
Per call de Graham. Checking results of re-oriented ant. (Bud Stacey, AL 243 who notes this was his best reception yet [I'd say, Killer sig on SEP 6 ED])

AUG 21 - 0557+ - 7445.0 KHz - USB
"Antarctica for Sunrise Party" bcst, RTTY QRM, hrd Mrs. Stacey's name, song "Lady in Red", Interview w/ Radio Op @ Antarctica (Bud Stacey, AL 242)

SEP 6 - *0555-0746* *0817* - 7445.0 KHz - USB
S/On with bird IS, K-I-W-I IDs, 0558 show open with usual music, Graham Barklay hosting 17th Aniv. show, address is Box 3174, Onekawa, Napier, NZ, greetings to Gigi Lytle, station history w/ clips from old shows & Radio Freedom (Station name b4 Kiwi Radio), oldies pop & rock tunes, pro jingles, telephone # 64-684-300-84, slogan "The Voice of Free Radio, K-I-W-I", music "We love the pirate stations", test tones, greetings to callers in Australia & US, began SW bcsting in 1985 & busted again soon after, clips from Radio Confusion & Radio Apollo relays, ZL2KR call heard, talk about Radio Free Bouganville, William Tell overture, clips from various European & US stations relayed via Kiwi, S/Off ancmnts 0742-0746 & into relay of Radio G'Day Int. (ED, 232 incr to 454 by S/Off, Great Show!)(Rob Keeney, KS 121 w/ Ute QRM)(Bud Stacey, AL 233 Good Show Graham!)(Eric Suter, VA 222)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 141 as UNID [Great catch OM!])

LIVE WIRE RADIO, UK - SEP 4 - 2330 - 3945.0 KHz - AM

Mailbag, Pop music format, tlk abt andy in Russia, Music by Level 42. (Vince Havrilko, GERMANY 454/555)

RADIO G'DAY INT. relay via KIWI RADIO - SEP 6 - *0746-0814* - 7445.0 KHz - USB

Aussie Rock, Pop & Folk music, OM anc'r w/ IDs & tlk abt music, QSL via Kiwi's address, French drop NOT ann'd. (ED, 454)(Rob Keeney, KS 232)(Eric Suter, VA 222)

CLANDESTINE STATIONS & PROGRAMS

Forum for Democracy - 12 SEP - 1410-1425 - 9930 KHz - AM

via KWHR, Vietnamese talks by OM, QSL via WRMI/Jeff White (ED 252)

Radio Caiman - 12 SEP - 1325-1335 - 9965.0 KHz - AM - QSL Info Unknown

Talk by OM in SS, IDs, Jamming present, rptd QTH Guatemala? (ED 333)(Vince Havrilko, GERMANY 444 SEP 5 0328)

La Voz de la Fundacion - 12 SEP - 1255-1315 - 9955 KHz - AM

via WRMI, YL anc'r, latin tunes, talk @ 1258 by OM, IDs by YL @ 1300, into news @ 1302. QSL via The Cuban American National Foundation, PO Box 440069, Miami, FL 33144 (ED 252)

La Voz del CID - 4 SEP - 0530-0545 - 6305.5 KHz - AM - QSL via many addresses

Chimes, ID as "R. Camillo Cienfuegos", ment Puerto Rico & Guantanamo Bay read a long list of names. QTH rptd as Guatemala (ED, 555)(Vince Havrilko, GERMANY 444/544 SEP 4 0522)

12 SEP - 0312-0320, 1315-1325 - 9941.2 KHz - AM

Talks by OM abt cuban exodus, ment of Miami, North America, etc (ED 353) (Vince Havrilko, GERMANY 443 SEP 5 0330 w/ distorted audio)

La Voz del Movimiento 30 de Nov. - SEP 12 - 0100-0115 - 9495.0 KHz - AM

relay via WHRI, Hosted by OM & YL, cuban music, talks. QSL via PO Box 526852, Miami, FL 33152 (ED 353)

UNIDENTIFIED? ED

OCT#0 - 6912 KHz - USB - This isn't a pirate per say, but is along the lines of the "Spanish Sidebanders Nets". The language is CREOLE a mixture of Spanish & French and it's often two stations, one op likes to sing to keep the other station occupied or entertained (ED)(J.D. Stephens, AL 343 Sep 3 0330 PSE QSL who has pegged it "The Drunk Frenchman")(George Zeller, OH 252+ In French and guessing a Quebecish QTH given sig level)

OCT#1 - 7470 KHz - USB - SEP 4 - *0321-0327* - Nemesis' Death Tribute. OM Ancr ment "Pirate Radio", played a "Dark" instr piece, Ancmnt @ 0327 mentioned "Bcsing" & QRT. (ED 555+, Terrible Audio)(Joe Filipkowski, RI 242 PSE QSL)

OCT#2 - 7415 KHz - LSB - SEP 8 - 0254-0330+ - Noise or Audio probs, relay of FM stn Y100, Rock music, 2 unintelligible IDs, ment of "...7415 Lower Sideband", poss Capt Willy testing. (Rob Keeney, KS 433 PSE QSL)

OCT#3 - 7413.2 KHz - ??? - SEP 4 - 1450-1458 f/o - OM, poss Henny Youngman, w/ standup comedy routine, crowd laughter. (Jerry Coatsworth, ONTARIO 222 PSE QSL)

OCT#4 - 7415.0 KHz - AM - AUG 27 - 1307-1313 - Xmas carols on guitar & symphony type music. (Eric Suter, VA PSE QSL)

OCT#5 - 7465.0 KHz - USB - SEP 6 - 0058 - Discounts @ Leroy's hamburger joint. (Eric Suter, VA ??? PSE QSL)

OCT#6 - 7385.2 KHz - AM? - AUG 21 - 2331-2340* - Rock music, YL w/ interview w/OM in a band. (Joe Filipkowski, RI PSE QSL)

OCT#7 - 7385.0 KHz - LSB - AUG 29 - 0033 - Dance music, lost when RFPI *0035 (Joe Filipkowski, RI 242 PSE QSL)

OCT#8 - 7375.0 KHz - USB - SEP 2 - 2346 - OM tlk.(Joe Filipkowski, RI 131 PSE QSL)

Next month, a NEW section called IDENTIFIED, get it?

PSE QSL

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DIALOGS D-XTRA

ITALIAN RADIO RELAY SERVICE (IRRS) - 7125 KHz - Testing on Fridays between 2215-0015 (English Schedules, Tom Sundstrom/The Journal Sept 94) Logged @ 0545 on July 30th w/ Rock music, ID, QTH & Request for reports (Richard D'Angelo, PA Fair, Int. Band loggings, Sept. 94 The Journal)

RADIO SPERANZA - 6233 KHz - 24 Hr & has Italian news at 0345, 0430, 0600, 1200 & 1900. (Cordioli Radiorama May via Giovanni Serra/Listeners Notebook July 94)

Info on a couple of European Pirate Packet networks: 6678. KHz @ 1911 in Italian and 6681.0 KHz @ 1859 in French. Both 300 Baud. Unsure if Pirate is used to refer to content, operation or both. (Boender-Netherlands/MT Utility World Aug 94)

While not a pirate, RADIO SAINT HELENA will be broadcasting this year on Friday, October 14th at 2000-2300 GMT on 11092 KHz in presumed USB. They only broadcast once a year and this is the only way to verify St. Helena on SWBC. The address is *The Castle, Jamestown, St. Helena, South Atlantic Ocean.*

RADIO PIRANA INTERNATIONAL uses 13950 KHz LSB on the last Sunday of the month at 2000 GMT to North America and 2100 GMT to South America. The First Sunday of the month is a back-up in case they can't broadcast on the last Sunday. Should you hear them, they QSL via the *Lund, Sweden, Wuppertal, Germany & BRS* drops.

With the days getting shorter in the Northern Hemisphere, the nights get longer and should enhance your chances of Europirate reception on the lower bands. Try checking on GMT SAT & SUN in the 3900-3950 KHz range @ 18-01 & 6200-7000 KHz during the same time until a couple of hours after local sunrise in Europe.

This month, 27 Reporters from 15 States & 3 Countries. If you have noticed that some logs have no name listed with them, that is because nobody submitted logs for those bcsts. Rather than have them go unlisted, I've included them from various sources for your information. Next deadline is the 20th of October, please submit loggings dated September 9th or later. A special "Thanks" to RAVE ON RADIO for the nice QSLs! The Boystown, NE drop has closed and mail for Action Radio/WISL is now being handled by Huntsville, the Arlington, VA drop is closed as well. PREDICTION: Based on the amount of activity that took place during the Labor Day weekend, I'm betting that Halloween will be nutz! Take care and see you next month. May your DX be rare and your mailbox full!



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This month's VR is, admittedly, a bit short and was done at the last moment due to a massive "home improvement" project, a new job and a bad back. But enough of my problems... This issue also completes 12 years of Veried Response (with some time off for good behavior and computer problems). Don't bother sending cards, but you may throw money - IF you can throw it hard enough to reach here..!

What's News: the media report

It may not be "fresh" news, but the Summer 1994 edition of RADIO! is available at your local 'Shack. Yes, it's full of Radio Shack ads, including several plugs for the now-discontinued PRO2006 scanner, but it does contain a good bit of useful information, and is a better deal than some other magazines at only US\$1.95 cover price. This edition features an article on Pirate Radio by our own Andrew Yoder; more than worth the cost! Also included are reviews of the PRO43 handheld scanner, an amplified antenna and a mobile CB with DSP. Big names like Gordon West, Gerry Dexter, Chuck Gysi and Harold Ort write regular columns, ensuring you of good information. Pick up your copy next time you visit RS. [direct]

Bob Grove's new magazine has launched successfully. "Satellite Times" debut issue has been distributed to the lucky few who showed interest - and to some of us writer-types. VIN1 has many features and listings of transponders and audio feeds. Also included is a review of the new Icom 820H all-mode dual-band amateur radio, which I read with great interest until I came to the MSRP (about US\$2k). If you're into satellite viewing or monitoring, "Satellite Times" is for you. Cover price is \$3.50, and subscriptions are US\$19.95 per year from: Satellite Times, PO Box 98, Brassstown, NC 28902. [direct]

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Off the Wall... the rumor center...

ADD to Box 146: Radio 49...

ADD to Box 452: WSDO...

And ADD another available maildrop address! Those looking for a more out-of-the-way 'drop now can use the services of PO Box 28413, Providence, RI 02908. As always, send a SASE to the 'droperator for complete details...

Radio Stella Int'l will be missing from the airwaves for at least one year. Seems Jock got a job offer he couldn't refuse and will be out of the country for a while. Travel safely and hurry back, Jock...

I have a QSL here for Phil Burbules, of Maryland, but no address for him. If he reads this (or you happen to know him), kindly contact me with the info. I also have a QSL for Barry Boone, of Alabama, and some mail for Chris Scheiner, of Louisiana, all returned as "not known". Any/all help will be appreciated...

Guy Connor joins the list of those who got their reports to WBBB (or whatever) returned back in August...

Captain Anarchy must have gotten the word and renewed the Vista, CA, maildrop. A handful of folk reported Anarchy One QSLs recently...

A note from Eric Suter asks why I neglected to mention FRS Goes DX in last month's column. He sez it's a "pretty good" publication and a sample copy is available for US\$3 from: PO Box 2727, 6049 ZG Herten, The Netherlands. Well, it's like this, Eric: Several EuroPirate rags have stopped publication in the last year or so, and I had no info at all on FRS Goes DX, so I couldn't list them. I would like very much to see a copy (hint, hint) one day. In any event, I've now mentioned them. Happy...?

Must have been two months ago I rejected the title of "godfather of Free Radio", but I mistakenly attributed the comment to Radio Aminor. Actually, the statement was made by Captain Willy in an interview Aminor did with him and broadcast back in early July. Just wanted to set the record straight...

Free Radio Blast:

"If I want to hear good Hi-Fi music, I'll listen to FM; if I wanted to broadcast Hi-Fi music I would be an FM pirate. If you (want to be) heard over a large area, shortwave is the place and sideband is the mode to use."

"Am I the only one who would rather listen to lightning static than to any music-only pirate station? What's the point of broadcasting low-powered music on noisy, messy shortwave?"

"Ops who don't fulfill on-air promises are like baby pirates, floating around out there in babypirate ding-dong land."

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the QSL report for: October 1994

Rainer Brandy, in Germany, jumps on board with a detailed card and letter from He Man Radio - 21780 in 68 days, a full data card and letter from RFM - 6239 (via BIRS) in 24 days, a full data card from Radio USA - 7484 in 200 days for French relay, a full data card from Radio USA - 14430 in 61 days, a full data "map" card and letter from NAPRS - 7415 in 26 days, a full data letter and info from CRSM - 6238 (via BIRS) in 56 days, a full data card and letter from Radio Esoterica - 11413 (via RS1) in 42 days, a full data card and stickers from WREC - 7423 in 65 days, a full data card and letter from XEROX - 7385 in 23 days, two full data cards from Pirate Radio Boston - 3915/7422 in 25/42 days, a full data card from North Jersey Coast Radio - 7385 in 21 days, a full data card from Down East Radio - 7415 in 19 days and a card and letter from Radio Magic - 7385 (via NAPRS) in 40 days. [thanks for the input, Rainer; hope to hear from you again..! jta]

Chris Lobdell jumped on his mailbox and after a vicious struggle triumphally held up a full data "satisfied listener" sheet (#1) from KICK - 7385 signed by Pete Moss in six weeks, and a full data blue card (#16) from KMOM - 7385 signed by Samantha Jones in two months with letter, \$1-bill stamped with the station name and a brochure for the '94 Jaguar. [but you already have two..! jta]

Joe Filipkowski scores a full data yellow card from Radio Titanic (via NAPRS) - 7417 signed by Tim Cooper in two months, a full data oversized white card (#2) from

Freedom 40 - 7385U signed by Nemesis in 34 days, a date/time only card from Radio 13 Int'l in 24 days for a logging in ACE, a full data "series B" paper card (#11) from WVOL - 7410/7411/7385U signed by Willie in about three months, a full data sheet (#4) from The Joint - 7385 in 49 days, a full data blue card (#7) and hot pink DX panties from KMOM - 7384.9 signed by Samantha Jones in two months. [and I bet you look as good in them as Captain Ganja does...! jta]

Mike Leclerc, in Connecticut, did back flips upon receiving a no data "PRO2005 schematic" card and letter from Anarchy One - 7415 signed by Captain Anarchy in 250 days via the Vista, CA, address, two full data cards (#166 & 175) from Laser Hot Hits - 7413 signed by the Laser Crew in 38 days with infosheet & miniposter, a full data "listeners comments" sheet (#16) from K2000 - 7415 signed by Van Culvig in 180 days with staff photo, letter and tape, a full data sheet from Int'l Voice of Global Free Radio Worldwide - 3400 in 53 days, and a full data "Jamaican BBQ" sheet and "smoking skull" card (#40 & 41) from 6YVOS - 3400/7385 signed by Pigen Marley and Nesta in 28 days with pennant.

Ed Rausch chimes in with a full data "hot babe" card (#15) from KMOM - 7385 signed by Samantha Jones in two months, three full data sheets from WLIS - 7385 signed by Charles Poltz in ten weeks, a full data "no progress without change" sheet (#7) from XYZ - 7385 signed by XYZ in three months, a no data infosheet from Kranker Radio in 4 months, a full data sheet from Voice of Jrny - 7385 signed by Vaz in two months, and a full data 3.5" computer disk (#6) from Amiga Computer Generated Radio - 7385 in three months. [gee; wonder where mine wound up. hasn't gotten here yet...jta]

Joe Yadasko, in Pennsylvania, got a boot out of a full data "satisfied KICK listener" card (#8) from KICK - 7415U signed by Pete Moss in six weeks with playlist and station info, and a full data sheet (#133) from WKND - 7415 signed by Radio Animal with personal letter and station info in six weeks. [welcome, Joe. Hope to hear from you often... jta]

Guy Connor tries to get back on schedule with a full data card from Radio Lollipop (via NAPRS) - 7415 signed by Boy Lollipop in 14 weeks, a full data card (#8) from Radio Magic (via NAPRS) - 7385 signed by Stan in 10 weeks, a full data sheet (#11) from Radio Free Salvation - 7385 signed by Billy in 54 days, a full data sheet (#149) from WREC 0 7385 signed by PJ Sparx in six weeks, and a full data "eye" card (#17) from Radio Cyclops - 7425 signed by Mike Fright and Mall N. Void in nine months.

Jerry Coatsworth, in Ontario, threw away his DateMinder for a full data obscene yellow sheet from Spam Radio signed by King Span in about two weeks, a full data logo card from KIWI signed by Graham Barclay in 45 days, a full data psychedilic card (#4) from KDED in seven weeks, a full data bright pink sheet (#11) from Xray Yankee Zulu signed by the usual guy in two months, a full data "xmtr on kition table" sheet from WPIG, a full data sheet (#7) from Pan Global Wireless signed by Hugh Jardon and Mike Oxlone in 16 months, a full data xerox sheet (#12) from Radio Magic (via NAPRS) signed by Stan in five weeks, a full data "girl in bikini" postcard (#1) from Voice of the Rooster for report to the ANARC SWL Net, a full data sheet (#zzzz) from Up Against The Wall Radio signed by Owsley in four weeks, a vague letter from WBBD (or whatever) signed by Mike Harris in 18 weeks, a photocopy sheet from WJFK in eight months for apparently mentioning reception to the right person, a full data bright yellow sheet from WREC/PRB joint broadcast signed by PJ Sparx and Charlie Loudendoomer in 22 days, a full data "Bob Zimmerman" paper card from Bob Dylan Radio in six weeks, a full data "open season" sheet (#92) from Radio Garbanzo signed by Fearless Fred, a full data photocopy from Radio Cambodia from Phnom Phen signed by Guong Shu in six months, and a full data sheet from Romantic Space Radio (via NAPRS) in three months.

George Zeller built another wall to display a full data "trophy" sheet (#159) from WREC - 7385.2 signed by PJ Sparx in 48 days, a full data card from Radio Peace In Action - 7385 in 79 days, a full data large multi-logo "special event station" card (#1) from Freedom 40 - 7385 in 38 days (was received damaged!), a full data \$5-bill from Voice of Laryngitis - 7385 signed by Stan Huxley in 126 days, a full data "satisfied listener" sheet (#5) from KICK - 7385 signed by Pete Moss in 52 days, and a full data green "corporate logo" sheet (#499) from WLIS - 7413.5 signed by Charles Poltz in 14 days for PiPa log.

Steve Johnson dropped by and said howdy t'other day; sed he'd got a nice QSL card and info sheet from Southern Music Radio in about five weeks. [welcome aboard, Steve. SMR was a NAM relay. Only KIWI has actually been broadcasting from New Zealand... jta]

JD Stephens mailed us another book-length listing of a full data "logo/Sam Barto photo" card from XEROX - 7385 signed by Bart Sambo in 18 days, a full data "gay montage" sheet from P R Homosexuality - 7385 signed by Capt Bruce and Big Austin in about one month, a fully disgusting full data sheet from Spam Radio - 7385 signed by King Spam in 22 days, a full data oversized "logo" card from Int'l Voice of Global Free Radio - 3400 in 23 days, a full data logo sheet (#4) from Xray Yankee Zulu - 7385 signed by XYZ himself in 59 days, a full data "maximum power" sheet and personal letter from K2000 - 7385 signed by Van Culvig in 19 days, a full data logo card and cartoon sheet from Radio Titanic (via NAPRS) - 7385 signed by Tim Cooper in 3 months, a full data "brick wall" card and personal letter from Up Against the Wall Radio - 7385 signed by Owsley in 23 days, a full data card and infosheet from Radio Peace In Action (via NAPRS) - 7385 in 68 days, a full data "ham rig" card from Radio 13 Int'l - 7385 in six weeks, a full data "we're glad you caught our signal..." card from Solid Rock Radio - 7465CW signed by Dr Love in 21 days, a full data large psychedelic card from KDED - 7470 in 24 days, a full data "Ian meets OJ" sheet from WLIS - 7385 signed by CP in 12 days, a full data logo card and pennants from KTVI - 7385 signed by Emanuel Goldstein in 30 days, a full data "space art" sheet (#19) from Quantum State Labs - 7385 in 25 days, a full data logo sheet (#3) from Radio Free Jesus - 9906 signed by Max Gain in nine days, a large full data card from WQSL - 7422.8 signed by Kenneth E. Hill in 17 days, a full data "satisfied listener" card from KICK - 7385 signed by Pete Moss in 39 days, a full data paper card from WVOL - 7385 signed by Captain Willy in 40 days but two years after original report, a full data "map" card from Southern Music Radio - 7385 signed by David Miller in 34 days, a full data "Jamaican BBQ" sheet from 6YVOS - 3400 signed by Pigen Marley in 49 days, a full data large pink logo card s postcard from Down East Radio - 7415 signed by Oskar Guggins in 37 days, a full data "map" card from NAPRS - 7385 signed by Richard Pistek in seven days, and a full data card (#2) from Buckeye Radio - 7385 signed by the Scarlet Carnation in three months for a PSE QSL in ACE.

Scott Gentry floated to his mailbox and drifted back with a full data "multilogoual" sheet (#2) from The Joint - 7385 in about six weeks, and a full data blue photo card (#1) and cool sunglasses from KMOM - 7385U signed by Samantha Jones in seven weeks. [cool shades to wear with your DX panties, hey..? jta]

Ms Sheryl Paszkiewicz, up Wisconsin way, reports some UFOs and a full data letter (#8) from Radio Free Jesus - 7385U signed by Max Gain in one month.

Franz Bergman, likewise in Wisconsin, laid claim to a full data blue card from Radio Stella (via NAPRS) - 7385 signed by Jock Wilson in 44 days with xmtr photos and station history.

Krik Trummel, in Missouri, gleefully received a full data "voice of de-evolution" card and letter from Radio X - 7445 in one month, a full data "maximum power" sheet (#23) from K2000 - 7385 in one month, a full data logo card from Anarchy One - 7385 in two weeks, a full data logo sheet from Radio Free Jesus - 7385 in one month, a full data card (#44) and pennants from 6YVOS - 7386 signed by Pigen Marley, a full data card from Radio Peace In Action - 7385 (via NAPRS) in 45 days, a full data "dancing microphones" sheet from RKNA in two weeks, a full data "omega symbol" card from Omega Radio - 7474 in 18 weeks, a no data montage sheet from WEED in eight months, a full data "beach boys" card from Hit Parade Radio - 7385 in a month, a full data yellow "map" card from NAPRS - 7385 in two weeks, two full data sheets (#475 & 481) from WLIS - 7385 in a month or less, a full data card from Shortest Day Radio (via KIWI) in six weeks, a full data paper "pirates" card (#3) from WVOL - 7385 signed by Captain Willy in two months, a full data "cruise ship" card (#12) from Caribbean Sound System signed by Count Whip in two weeks, a date/time only "receiver" card from Radio 13 Int'l - 7385 in one month, a full data blue "hot babe" card (#17) from KMOM - 7385 signed by Samantha Jones in six weeks, and a full data sheet (#10) from The Joint - 7385 in one month.

Andrew Ashbaugh, out there somewhere, got a full data sheet from 6YVOS in 31 days with pennant and Recipe 1.

Ye Olde Columniste wept crocodile tears when laying his eyes upon two full data "multilogoual" sheets (#5 & 6) from The Joint - 13900/7465L in 13 days - but no samples included!

Until next, 73 and great DX...

Publisher's Page

Rob Keeney

For those of you that didn't recognize the QSL on the cover last month, it was from KMCR, Magic Carpet Radio. Magic Mike sent a sample QSL and a glossy photo for the cover. The only problem with the photo was that it was in color. Make sure that when submitting photos, they are black and white. Sorry about the poor reproduction, Magic Mike.

Thanks to He-Man for contributing a timely QSL for this month's cover. I'll bet that you'll be able to hear He-Man Radio celebrating sometime during October!

I am currently compiling an ACE Members E-mail list. If you can be reached by any sort of e-mail, or frequent the ANARC/ACE BBS, and would like to be included, please let me know ASAP. You can reach me in the ACE section on the ANARC/ACE BBS, 913-345-1978, or on Compuserve @ 74132,3520. We'll publish the list sometime in the next couple of issues.

Kirk T.'s first DiaLogs column looks real good. Please let him know what you think of the minor format changes. We also have lots of good Euro-info from Rainer Brandt again.

In a letter from WRMI's Jeff White, he is offering airtime to "Pirate" Broadcasters on Radio Copan International, broadcasting from Tegucigalpa, Honduras. Radio Copan is a privately-owned commercial shortwave station. It transmits with 1000 watts of power, using a five-element beam antenna directed 26 degrees from Tegucigalpa -- towards the northern Caribbean and eastern North America. Airtime is available at a 50% discount to "pirate" broadcasters of \$25.00 per hour, \$12.50 per 1/2 hour, and \$6.25 per 1/4 hour! Airtime maybe paid monthly in advance, or at the time each tape is sent for broadcast. Programs may be sent to WRMI on cassette, and they will forward them to Honduras by air courier service at no extra charge.

If you are interested in the possibility of transmitting via Radio Copan International, you or your representative can contact Jeff White anytime at the following address or phone numbers:

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Thanks for the great offer, Jeff! Radio Copan puts in a pretty good signal here at HQ most afternoons. In fact when they first went on the air, I was lucky enough to be one of the first 5 to send a reception report. They sent me a neat little SW portable receiver!

And here now is a late tip from Rainer Brandt:

FRS-Holland is going to celebrate it's 15th birthday on October 16th! Keep an eye for night time transmissions too!! A big party to come! October 15th/16th in Burscheid, Germany "the" annual Free Radio Meeting is going to take place with lots of station operators to come, talking, DXing and even listening to the bands for Free Radio stations who will appear especially for the participants there, who stay the night and Sunday morning!!! Why not go on the air for them?!

CLANDESTINE PROFILE

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Your loggings, information, and speculations about clandestine radio stations are always very welcome for this column. You can send them direct to your editor at 3492 West 123rd Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44111. Or, you can call (216) 696-9077 weekdays between 1200-2045 UTC, or else (216) 941-3366 anytime. In addition, contributions are accepted via the ACE computer BBS at (913) 345-1978. We have a large amount of big news this month.

FRENTA NACIONAL CUBANO BUSTED BY FCC IN PUERTO RICO

Frenta Nacional Cubano, an anti-Castro clandestine station that operated on 7020 kHz with several kilowatts, was busted by the FCC on July 27. The FCC said that the transmitter for this station was located on Hacienda Las Carolinas, a cattle ranch located near Salinas, Puerto Rico. The incident has been widely reported because of an article on this bust in the August 28 edition of the *San Juan Star* by reporter Marty Gerard Delfin. Delfin sent copies of this article to many DX sources, and it is clear that Delfin himself is a DX-er.

The ranch that housed Frenta Nacional Cubano's transmitter is owned by Domingo Sadurni Sr., a Cuban exile who is a Board member of Jorge Mas Canosa's Cuban American National Foundation. Sadurni is a "millionaire-developer" architect with real estate holdings throughout Puerto Rico. Delfin says that this bust has "created quite a stir" in Puerto Rico because of the station's association with Sadurni and his prominent position in the CANF.

Delfin points out that the ranch is visible from the Las Americas Expressway. My own Puerto Rican sources here in Cleveland point out that the ranch is located about 30 miles east of Ponce near the southern Puerto Rican Caribbean coastline. The *San Juan Star* article on the bust contained a photo of the main gate at this ranch.

The *Star* quotes Angel Padilla of the Committee for Human Rights and National Reconciliation, who said that some Puerto Rican Cuban exiles had discussed plans to operate an anti-Castro clandestine from a shipboard transmitter. These plans never resulted in actual transmissions. But, Delfin points out that Frenta Nacional Cubano was heard by some DX-ers. He cited Colombian DX-er Juan Emilio Goeta's log of the station that appeared in an unnamed Venezuelan DX bulletin. This logging was on 020 kHz at 2200 UTC on July 9.

Surprisingly, the FCC did not confiscate the station's transmitter. Delfin quotes Efraim Achilla, former president of the Radio Broadcasters Association in Puerto Rico, who said, "The question I have to ask is why that equipment wasn't confiscated. Either Sadurni set it up because he doesn't agree with all the (Cuban American National) Foundation's policies or the station is a front for the CIA, which means it'll come back on the air again."

FCC field operations bureau engineer Jeff Young, quoted in Delfin's article, responded that the FCC does not always confiscate transmitting equipment during busts. "Every case is different, and it depends what type of interference it caused," said Young.

Serious press reports indicated that the bust of this clandestine was instigated by complaint from the government of Cuba, much like the situation several years ago when Radio Clarin ceased its relays of La Voz del CID following a protest by the Cuban government to the government of the Dominican Republic.

Ironically, all of this took place only a matter of weeks before President Bill Clinton announced a significant expansion of Radio Marti broadcasts to Cuba. In

addition, as far as I can remember, this is the first documented case in decades of a shortwave broadcaster that operated from within Puerto Rico. It's unlikely that Sadurni will verify reports, but I suppose that if you heard the station, you could try sending the report direct to him. I note that Puerto Rico is omitted from the official "Country List" tabulations of the North American Shortwave Association. This error should be rectified eventually, but the NASWA Country List committee has a well established track record of delaying modifications to its list, even if they are clearly called for by a situation such as this one. I am sure that the ACE awards program will count the station immediately, without any delays.

Obviously this is all very big news. In case Archilla's speculation turns out to be valid, it would be a good idea to check out 7020 kHz from time to time in the neighborhood of 2200 UTC, particularly during the current Cuban and Haitian political confrontations with the USA.

DICK SMITH OUT AS FCC FIELD OPERATIONS BUREAU CHIEF

It turns out that the Frente Nacional Cubano bust was the last one under the jurisdiction of longtime FCC Field Operations Bureau Chief Dick Smith. According to an article by Doug Halonen in the September 5 issue of *Crain's Cleveland Business*, FCC Chairman Reed Hundt has implemented major management changes at the top of the agency's bureau structure. Smith, who had been FOB Chief since 1981, has been reassigned to be the head of the FCC Office of Engineering and Technology. His replacement as Field Office Bureau Chief is Beverly Baker, formerly an attorney on the FCC staff.

This is the first time in the history of the FCC that the Field Office Bureau Chief has not been an engineer. *Crain's* noted criticism from FCC Commissioner Jim Quello, who said, "If it ain't broke, don't break it." "I am concerned about a process that gives short shrift to rewarding talented, creative incumbents for a job exceedingly well done."

Baker and Smith responded to the shift. Baker said, "I was picked for my management skills, not for being a lawyer or an engineer. We see this more as a management job." Smith's comments were, "I look forward to my new role. It's a challenging and prestigious assignment."

Four of the six FCC bureaus are now headed by women for the first time in history. The only bureau Chief who was not reassigned during these moves was Roy Stewart, Chief of the Mass Media Bureau.

It obviously is too early to assess the long term meaning of all these management changes at the FCC. But, the major reshuffling of the deck is of obvious interest to ACE members, whether your interests fall in pirate DX-ing, clandestine DX-ing, or both.

RADIO DEMOCRACY LOGGINGS

Coincidental with the recent political turmoil between the United States and Haiti, we are suddenly swimming in Radio Democracy loggings. Mike Hardester reports that he is regularly hearing their 1035 kHz broadcasts in North Carolina. Rob Keeney reports several logs from Kansas City. He notes in particular that on September 14 he heard them between 0124-0131*. This sign-off time is much later than they used to use. Harry Helms speculated on the ACE BBS that the station might maintain extended hours during a military invasion. But, as Rob found, they already are staying on at least a half hour longer than they used to. I heard this broadcast also, thanks to a tip from Rob. I have been hearing heterodynes from the station on 1035 kHz on a daily basis, but actual audio has only poked through on a couple of occasions. Our thanks go to Terry Provance of Ohio and Chris Lobdell of Massachusetts, who also reported Radio Democracy logs on the ACE BBS. Just about everybody notes the best copy in USB ECSS mode, since this helps avoid WBZ-1030 QRM from Boston. WHO on 1040 has been much weaker on recent nights at most locations.

Many of us are now interested in locating a valid address for Radio Democracy so that we can send in reception reports. As is well known, the station is transmitting from an Air Force plane in flight near Haiti. I received a very interesting

telephone call from ACE member Nick Grace, who lives in the Washington, DC area. He made some calls, and has come up with some interesting findings.

Rob Keeney points out that he has already mailed a reception report c/o the Chancery of Haiti, 2311 Massachusetts Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20008. Nick called this Haitian diplomatic office, and got a response that was not very enthusiastic. It turns out that a private firm handles the public relations for the Haitian embassy. Nick also called the public relations firm after he was referred there by the embassy. The PR outfit sent Nick to the Defense Department. Finally he had a useful discussion with Harold Heilanis of the Defense Department. Although Nick is still working on this problem, here is what he discovered through all of these telephone inquiries.

It doesn't look too good for veries through the embassy. Heilanis says that the programming is produced in Washington, DC. It is then relayed via the airplane to Haiti on 1035 kHz. Nick was listening to Radio Democracy on September 15 when President Clinton was delivering his big speech about the Haiti invasion. The clandestine signed off about 0120 that night, right during the middle of Clinton's speech. Radio Democracy was not carrying Clinton's talk. In fact, given the mode of program production and transmission cited by Heilanis, it looks like none of the Radio Democracy programming is live.

Harry Helms of California has noted on the ACE BBS that it would not be surprising if some Radio Democracy broadcasts were coordinated with the US military invasion. But, given the taped nature of the shows so far, this is not entirely certain. I have seen published reports in the press that local radio station transmitters will obviously be early military targets during any invasion of Haiti. Once a number of transmitters are captured, it could be possible that Radio Democracy would be somewhat redundant. We shall see. Actually, we may already have seen what happened, since I am writing this before any invasion has transpired.

Rob Keeney points out that on September 15 the US military dropped thousands of cheap transistor radios into Haiti. I saw a crate of these radios on TV as they were being opened, and it looked like they were very cheap medium wave receivers. I suppose that given the previous episodes of \$500 hammers and toilet seats, the Defense Department can hardly be expected to drop Drake R-8's into Haiti.

TAIWAN PIRATE/CLANDESTINES

I received several press accounts through *Monitoring Times* about the controversy in Taiwan between the government and several unlicensed political stations that operate in the country. One of the better accounts came via the PeaceNet BBS via ACE member Patrick Crumhorn in Texas.

More than a dozen pirate stations have been operating in Taiwan for some time. They are an alternative to the governmental broadcasting monopoly. Most serve the interests of political opposition groups, and are therefore near the borderline of clandestines. However, they enjoy large listening audiences. Among their strongest supporters are Taipei's taxi drivers, strangely enough.

On July 30 the government closed down 14 of the stations. Large street protests resulted, some of which were prominently led by the taxi drivers. Some of the protest demonstrations became violent, with injuries, burned police cars, etc. The incidence of violent protest has always been quite low in Taiwan, so this was unusual. The government has promised that it will license some private stations within a matter of months, but it remains to be seen if the situation will be permanently calmed. None of the stations apparently use shortwave; they are local broadcasters.

PROVANCE QSL'S

We have some space this month to print two QSL's that ACE member Terry Provance sent in last month, but that I could not print because we didn't have the space then. One is an Alpha 66 QSL for one of their relays over WHRI. It is quite interesting that the verie is signed by Diego Medina, the longtime figure behind this station. The other QSL is a nice verie from Radio Dniester International, which in some circles is considered at least semi-clandestine. This one is full data from

Moldavia, with A. Komar's signature. I'll leave the cutting and pasting job for the next page to the exalted leaders at ACE HQ.

CID AUDIBLE IN GERMANY

Vince Havrilko checks in from Germany to report that he has been hearing La Voz del DIC on 6305.5 kHz, including a 0522 UTC log on September 4. He reports a very good signal. Obviously their 49 meter frequency was reactivated along with the longtime 9941.7 kHz frequency last month. I have noticed that the 49 meter transmitter is variable by about 100-200 Hz. Vince reports that he expects to be back in the USA sometime in 1995.

THANKS!

We had a very healthy turnout of ACE members this month. We thank the following for their input: Marty Gerard Delfin (Puerto Rico), Mike Hardester (North Carolina), Rob Keeney (Kansas), Harry Helms (California), Terry Provance (Ohio), Chris Lobdell (Massachusetts), Nick Grace (District of Columbia), Patrick Crumhorn (Texas), Vince Havrilko (Germany), and George Zeller (Ohio). Next month we hope to hear from YOU by October 21 for the November ACE Clandestine Profile.

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A Terry Provance
Zanesville, OH

MUCHAS GRACIAS POR SU INFORME DE RECEPCION

TENEMOS EL GUSTO DE CONFIRMAR QUE LA EMISORA
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LA VOZ DE ALPHA 66
De Sep 3, 1991

Medina
Dr. Diego A. Medina

VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE

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PRIDNESTROVIE;
Power: 250 Kwatts;
Frequency: 999 khz. 9520 khz;
Time, date: 21.11.91 s/on to 1200 s/off hrs. UTC. 503 1994;



We confirm with pleasure your listening
report. THANK YOU !

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EURO-LOGS

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Hello there and a hearty welcome to the EURO-REPORT! I was told it's a long overdue section for our magazine! I really hope so! I'm an ACE subscriber since early 1994 and to introduce myself, I'm a DXer and Free Radio enthusiast since 1972 (guess how very old I am !!), got some 130 BC countries verified and my first QSLs of alternative broadcasters came from good old Radio's Northsea, Veronica and Caroline as well as World Music Radio and ABC Europe. My Free Radio collection consists of more than 600 QSL entries (more than 150 each from Holland, UK and Germany!).

In the early 80s I first heard about US pirate activities and some of my friends even heard a couple of NA stations! I myself had to wait until early 1992 when a good receiver and a nice antenna system made WSKY, Radio USA and HeMan Radio reception possible!

Nowadays NA reception is possible here every now and then and I like to invite all you readers: try listening to European stations as well. We think it must be possible the opposite way provided that you know more about the Euro-Pirate's behaviours trying to reach the American continent with their low powered transmitters. Here is a brief introduction:

European activities normally have ever been on weekends only - on Saturdays and Sundays, but on UK Bank Holidays and other European public holidays too - depending on the countries the stations come from. Transmissions have ever been in AM mode only, because almost no HAM transceivers were in use until the late 80s! Most of the transmitters have been home made with only 1 or 2 tubes making only some 10 to 25 watts. The exception were many Dutchies who on one hand often use old surplus transmitters or on the other hand always run self-built modulators, drivers and high voltage PAs with more than 100 to 500 and more watts! For sure these powerhouses were running the risk to loose their rigs and several did during the past years! At least on August 27th Dutchie Radio Delta from Ruurlo was raided by Dutch RCD authorities and police!

Frequencies to look for Euro-Pirates are:

48 metres (6200 to 6315kHz, +/-6400kHz, +/-6555kHz, +/-6910kHz)

41 metres (+/-7295, 7360 to 7500kHz)

31 metres (+/-9985kHz)

26 metres (11390 to 11500kHz)

19 metres (15000 to 15065kHz)

and last but not least...

76 metres (3880 to 3945kHz).

The most active band have ever been the 48 metres on local Sunday mornings from 08.00 to 14.00 UTC (this time period is been used for the other bands as well) since the beginning of Free Radio in the late 80s. From the early 80s onwards the time period from 21.00 to 02.00 UTC also has been heavily in use.

The "God of conditions" knows why the 48 metre activities decreased later on and nowadays the 76 metre band became No.1 at local nighttimes (Saturdays +/- 18.00 to 02.00 UTC). In Europe very often US HAMS can be heard in LSB mode with fair reception around 23.00 UTC on the 3925kHz area!

To join the modulation discussion, here we never would have heard so many NA stations recently when they always use AM only, 95% have been working the USB mode! In Europe several stations nowadays use HAM transceivers as well (it seems the technical side of broadcasting left to be desired, only few operators need or want to know what's going on while transmitting...). Naturally with the SSB mode these stations can be widely heard but I can tell you it's no fun to LISTEN to musical shows which are the main things Euro-Pirates actually do. On Shortwave AM and A3A are the best ways to LISTEN in any case. I prefer listening to lower signals in better AM audio; for DX tests SSB is OK but just to hunt for long distance stations QSLs!

Especially the 41 metre band nowadays isn't that important here than in NA; only at day-time low activities there, absolutely nothing yet at night-time! The afternoon local time would produce nice signals for low power transmitters but the band is overcrowded by the legal powerhouses then and only a handful frequencies are open for possible usage. 7375, 7390, 7415, 7470 and in some cases 7455kHz can be used here at midnight (+/- 23.00 UTC onwards), but due to long skip most of the times then only few European listeners would know to listen - completely different to the NA habits. There 6 hours earlier in the afternoon is the prime time!

Last but not least here is some European Information to check yourself:

DUBLIN COMMUNITY RADIO is the new name of long time runner RADIO DUBLIN INTERNATIONAL (see QSL in last issue)! This semi-legal stations is running a 24h service on 6911kHz and several NA guys already heard their signals. No QSL under the new name is known yet, but the address to write to is: Box 2077, Dublin 8, Republic of Ireland.

We expect a nighttime test from the FREE RADIO SERVICE HOLLAND soon on 48 metres band from 00.00 UTC onwards. Please give them a try there. On October 16th, FRSH is going to celebrate its 14th birthday with several shows on 48 and 41 metres. Special QSLs will be available.

Good ole Bill Lewis of LIVE WIRE RADIO seems to be "solo" again and has time again to put some 100 watts on the air on +/-3945kHz in excellent AM mode. He can produce SSB and FM mode as well but using a HAM rig then! Some years ago LWR already was heard in NA on 41 and 19 metres!

RADIO PIRANA INTERNATIONAL is going to test again on weekends on +/-13950kHz to North and South America. Times about 20.00 to 23.00 UTC in SSB mode.

Most active RELAYERS for Free Radio programming are RADIO EUROPE, Italy on 7294U, the IRRS, Milan on 7125kHz (with superb A3A model) as well as RADIO BALTIC INTERNATIONAL on 6206.5kHz AM and the SBC on 48 and 76 metres.

SUBTERRANEAN SOUNDS, UK is the most active 76 metres AM station with shows nearly each and every weekend on 3945kHz from 23.00 UTC onwards. Usually good signals can be expected all over Europe although power is only some 20watts. The musical taste of DJ and operator Steve Midnight is newwave and Industrial. After closing down the shows often Steve is going to QSO with e.g.

STARSHINE RADIO from Scandinavia, whose operator Kim Hawk is using much more power with his HAM rig into a longwire. He can be heard on all 76 metres channels in AM or SSB and on 41 metres as well depending on conditions.

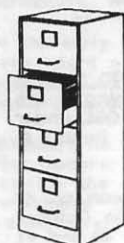
WNKR and ANGEL RADIO INTERNATIONAL are running a loop tape every weekend on +/-6400 kHz and the transmitters spread a widely heard signal over Europe and it could be worth checking this clear frequency in NA too.

During the summer several NA stations were relayed in Europe by different stations and still can be heard now and then. It's always a pleasure to listen to high quality humour from US stations although the production quality could be better in some cases (little audio and lotsa breaks within the shows).

Besides North Jersey Coast Radio and CSIC, the best DX catch has been Radio Magic from Russia - via the NAPRS from the USA - heard in Germany! Your Labor Day brought the East Coast Beer Drinker and KICK signals over the ocean again and I invite all the NA stations to try themselves in the future! What about Halloween???

This concludes my "2nd" column - the 1st one last month may have shown only in parts of what happens here every weekend. I think I should continue in the way of Dialogs in the future - The EURO REPORT and information on Trans-Atlantic reception from both sides! Next month I hope to feature the Russian or Scandinavian scene if there is an interest.

I hope to keep you informed about European activities to NA in case I should be aware in advance and will spread it via ANARC-BBS first or in this magazine! If you should need a help or have some news to be published please call via COMPUERVE 100101,2340 or via our publisher or drop me a line via snail-mail! However, the latter may take some time.....hll
Thank you for paying attention, See ya! Rainer



Special Features

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I was kinda looking forward to the Haitian invasion, as were my good friends Oliver North and Pat Buchanan. Just think. . . . American troops show up in a predominantly black country and start shooting the populace. . . hey, even Reagan didn't have the guts to ever try that. But instead Jimmy Carter reads a few verses from the Scriptures and the crisis is over. Bummer! If I were president, I'd have flown O.J. into Port-au-Prince, told him that Raoul Cedras had been sleeping with Nicole, given him a knife, and just let events unfold, if you catch my drift.

But at least the big Haitian crisis produced some interesting DX. I had been following KKN50, the U.S. Department of State's main station, on 6925.5 kHz CW. As readers of the late, lamented "Covert Corner" know, this station has gone into weird activity just prior to major U.S. military actions, and I felt it would be a good tip-off when the invasion was about to begin. KKN50 normally holds forth with a continuous "QRA" marker during the evening until about 0600, and I last heard them in this mode on August 30. The next several days, I was unable to hear KKN50 during numerous checks each evening. I wondered if perhaps the station had left the air. However, on September 13 I caught the KKN50 QRA marker sent once at 0335, once again at 0350, and once again at 0405. The next night, September 14, I caught it at 0145 and again at 0200. However, there is no other pattern other than the 15 minute intervals between markers. For example, I heard KKN50 at 0253 and 0308 on September 16, and at 0518 and 0533 on September 18. I have no idea why KKN50 is using this weird pattern—maybe to discourage casual monitoring or convince people it's off the air, since it alerted people to the impending Iraq and Somalia actions?

During the past few weeks, 6840 has had a near-continuous carrier until about 0600, with four-digit Spanish numbers like clockwork on the hour and half-hour. 6920 has also been an interesting frequency. On September 9 at 0341, I caught two men conversing in LSB. They had Caribbean accents, and were discussing sea and weather conditions. In between conversations were two alternating tones much like European police and fire sirens. At 0400, the tones became continuous. I caught a similar signal on September 13 at 0337. This one was in USB, and had the same traffic; I caught a reference to "Montego."

Gigi Lytle sent along several loggings she made in Bucharest, Romania. On August 10 on 6745 USB at 1932, she caught a YL in EE with phonetic alphabet traffic. At 1935 on 6933 USB, she caught an OM in Russian, and at 1947 on 8222 USB she caught an OM with SS traffic. You're not fooling me, Gigi; your presence in Bucharest had something to do with that Michael Jackson and Lisa Marie.

Harry

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BAD NEWS: The Day The Music Died...

Yup, another fine AOR station bit the dust because of corporate greed. WZEW, "92ZEW", was sold after a decade of operation and growth into what was one of Mobile's most loved stations. Jazz, album rock, a touch of country-rock and other styles have disappeared into the ether, along with the ever-loved and old favorite of mine, Dr. Demento. Mobilians are hard-pressed to fill this "hole in the music", as a hard rock format has followed under the call sign WGCX. We now have everything else but an AOR station... "92ZEW" was operating in the black, but apparently not enough for it's owner.

The new owners have moved the music & staff of WGCX from it's mega-thousand watt station to WZEW's little 3000 watt facilities; word is, the "new WGCX" is receiving hate mail every day, with wishes that they'll fail. Possibly, so, since the audience all along the Gulf Coast can't really hear their fave programming as well as they used to...Yup, maybe corporate greed will backlash on this 'un!

Radio As A Tool

This is where YOU fit in! If you don't like what's happening, SAY SOMETHING! Use your Freedom of Speech in Part 15! Just this past week, when I was on vacation, I was contacted by three different people who had either started or was wanting to start their own stations...and I'm going to help! This fall, I am hopefully looking for no less than five more "community broadcaster" to be on the air...all with something to say! Some are fed-up activists who want others of a like mind to hear what's up; others are tired of the hard-rock, country, long-hair and other programming going on & want to "do a niche" for alternative programming. Radio Relay Services is also expanding and will be able to simulcast on AM & FM...It will be interesting in the immediate future, what with the November elections coming up. Radio Relay Services looks like it will have a panel of pro-radio/pro-patriot activists on panel for the October 29th broadcast! Letcha know how it goes...

STATION PROFILE: FM Service of Omega Radio

Yes, Dick Tator has been busy! The pro-Christian Omega Radio FM Service is a member of the WOLF Radio Network and is about six months of age at this writing! The reason for development and operation on FM is a "lack of quality Christian alternative and metal music". This, along with prophetic commentary, make up Omega Radio's FM service. At the time I received the survey, Dick was still experimenting with antenna designs; he was using a 1/2 wave ground plane fed with RG-8 coax, operating on 93.1 MHz. He is attempting to broaden his coverage, while still staying within Part 15 specifications. Oops, almost forgot; he's using a Ramsey FM-10 transmitter. Thanks for your time, Dick, and keep up the good work!

If you'd like to see YOUR Part 15 station profiled here, let me know! I'll be glad to send a survey of the info I'm looking for; nothing incriminating mind you, but all sources will be held in strictest confidence! Hopefully more technical stuff next time; still waiting on "stuff"! Hasta la vista, muchachos! de Bud...

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